



August 1, 2010
Ordinary Time

Calvary Baptist Church
Washington, DC

The People of Calvary Baptist Church Gather for

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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11:00 a.m.

Welcome to worship at Calvary Baptist Church. We are an ecumenical, multi-racial, multi-ethnic Christian body that reaches out to the world with the Good News of Jesus Christ. To that end we strive to be welcoming, responsive, trusting and prayerful in everything we do.

PRELUDE

Prelude in A Major, BWV 536-1
J.S. Bach (1685 - 1750)

Jay Parrotta

WORDS OF WELCOME

Edgar Palacios

⊕ **GATHERING HYMN** *Become to Us the Living Bread*
GELOBT SEI GOTT

No. 423

⊕ **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Amy Butler

Leader: People of God, open your hearts.

People: We open them to God and to one another.

Leader: People of God, give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give thanks to the One who offers us lives filled with grace.

Leader: When we were children running footloose through grace, God loved us: teaching us to walk, telling us of divine dreams for all God created.

People: When in our hurry to greet God we stumbled, God lifted us up in divine arms, holding us close.

Leader: When we missed God's calling for us, God came and found us, taking us by the hand to feed and nourish us.

People: But when we grew up, we turned to the idols of wealth and power.

Leader: We thought they would serve us, but instead they shackled us. We gave ourselves over to anxiety's sweet caress.

People: Yet you are God, not a foolish human. You stay with us, not to punish or destroy, but to reach out and to bring us home to you.

All: Therefore we joyfully lift our voices, with those who have gone before us and those who stand beside us, singing our praises for God's great love. Let us worship God!

⊕ **INVOCATION**

Amy Butler

⊕ **PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Francisco Pereira, Jr.

Líder: La paz del Señor sea contigo.

El Pueblo: Y contigo también.

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

⊕ **CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

*Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let your love flow so the world will know we are one in you. (repeat)*

HOLY TROUBLE MAKERS: BROOKS HAYS

Paul Rosstead

⊕ *Congregation standing*

Page numbers refer to Sanctuary Bibles

MUSICAL MEDITATION *Récit de Cromorne* Jay Parrotta
Jacques Boyvin (c. 1649 - 1706)

HEBREW LESSON (p. 737) Hosea 11:1-11 Amy Butler

PSALTER, No. 755-756 Psalm 107 Cheryl Branham

EPISTLE LESSON (p. 957) Colossians 3:1-11 Francisco Pereira, Jr.

⊕ **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** *Alleluia* Cheryl Branham
Melchior Vulpius (c. 1560-1616)

Cantor: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

People: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Cantor: One's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions. Take care—be on your guard against all kinds of greed.

People: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia *Adapted from Luke 12*

⊕ **GOSPEL LESSON** (p. 847) Luke 12:13-21 Amy Butler

Leader: This is the Gospel of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO PRAYER No. 426

The Voice of Jesus Calls His People

THE VOICE OF JESUS

Please listen as the cantor sings Verse 1.

Then join in singing Verses 1 – 2.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER Edgar Palacios

Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SERMON *Holy Trouble Makers: Hosea* Amy Butler

MUSICAL REFLECTION Jay Parrotta

SERVICE OF GIVING

Invitation to Give and to Serve Caroline Armijo

Musical Offering *Toccatina Bachatina* Jay Parrotta
François Loup (b.1940)

⊕ Hymn of Dedication No. 50

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

⊕ Prayer of Dedication Caroline Armijo

SERVICE OF COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table Amy Butler

Sharing of the Meal Amy Butler and Edgar Palacios

Today we celebrate communion by intinction. Stations are available at the front and back of the Sanctuary. Deacons will direct you to the nearest station. If you have gluten concerns, please come to the center-front station to request a gluten-free alternative. If you wish to remain seated, please raise your hand and deacons will assist you. Thank you for participating in communion today.

Communion Meditation *Toccata* Jay Parrotta
Girolamo Frescobaldi (1583 - 1643)

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP Amy Butler
⊕ Hymn of Invitation No. 428

An Upper Room with Evening Lamps Ashine

EVENTIDE

During the Hymn of Invitation, we invite you to come forward if you would like to make a public commitment to Christ and wish to join with our family of faith.

⊕ Welcoming New Members

All: *We give thanks that you have been guided by the hand of God to this community of faith. We pledge to love each other and to work to grow into the fullness of Christ together. Amen.*

⊕ **BENEDICTION** Amy Butler

POSTLUDE *Fugue in A Major, BWV 536-2* Jay Parrotta
J.S. Bach

During the Postlude, we invite you either to sit quietly and listen or to exit quietly, as you choose.

Following worship, please join us in Woodward Hall, located to the left as you exit the Sanctuary, for fellowship and refreshments.

Visitors, we look forward to greeting you as honored guests.

Audio enhancement devices and Spanish/English Bibles are available for use during worship. Please ask an usher for assistance.

The readings for August 8, Ordinary Time, are

Isaiah 1: 1, 10 – 20; Psalm 33: 12 – 22;

Hebrews 11: 1 – 3, 8 – 16; Luke 12: 32 – 40.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER Dorothy Allan; Howard Ammerman; Marty Auman; Debbie Betz, stepmother of Jean Gutierrez; family and friends of Al Crouch, Lynnette Lee-Villanueva's father, who died Friday, July 23; John Dehnel; Vi Fazekas; Lillian Halter; Jeanne Hammer; Denise Jenkins; Wilson Lee-Villanueva, Gabe Lee-Villanueva's brother; Sherry McFarland, Marty Auman's daughter; Danielle Bailey Lash, friend of Caroline Armijo; Oliver Donald McLaughlin; Isabelle Mills; John Moore; Duane Nielsen, Al Nielsen's brother; Rachel Nyiraha-biyambere, Epa Uwimana's mother; Matt Payne, Ashley Dalton's cousin; Gloria Sain; Dr. Nadia Sarafova-Fortunova, Liubov Russell's mother; Ethel Schwengel; Julian Self Jr., Berniece Harward's brother; Doris Shaw; Beth Sorrell; Ben Stafford, Rosie Stafford's brother; James B. Strait II, Andrew Lorenzen-Strait's father; Evaa Strizenec, Ivan Strizenec's mother; Richard Taylor, Kelly Miller's father; Betty Tenny; Dick Thomason; Joyce Topper; Sallie and Victor Tupitza; Karen Walker; Kathy Wray, Bill and Berniece Harward's daughter.

WORSHIP



HOLY TROUBLE MAKERS Today we continue our sermon series called *Holy Trouble Makers*. We're exploring some of the Hebrew prophets, learning about the history of Israel, exploring what motivated the radical stands of the prophets, and thinking about how we are called to be Holy Trouble Makers, too. Along the way we'll learn about some people in Calvary's own past and present who are living the legacy of holy troublemaking!

August 8	Isaiah	Edgar preaching
August 15	Jeremiah	Leah preaching
August 22	Jeremiah	Amy preaching

THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS LIKE A collection of images and sermons of our recent exploration of Biblical and modern parables depicting the Kingdom of God is now available for order online, www.calvarydc.org. Your purchase of this book will help support Calvary's ministries. A great gift idea! Order today!



TODAY

GOOD SAMARITANS Calvary's children are learning about the parable of the Good Samaritan and Jesus' teaching that God's people care for others. They want to respond to this message in a real and tangible way. Today and next Sunday, August 8, the children will collect first aid supplies for the Calvary Women's Shelter. The shelter staff administers basic first aid, so they request these items: antiseptic in single-use packaging (spray, wipes, or small tubes), hydrogen peroxide, rubbing alcohol, adhesive bandages, sterile gauze (pads and rolls), adhesive tape, and gloves. Thank you for participating.



SUMMER SCHEDULE

COMBINED SUNDAY SCHOOL This summer, Calvary's Adult Sunday school classes combine for a series on God's shalom. Our guiding text is the book *Peaceteacher-Jesus' Way of Shalom* by Dr. Stephen D. Jones, president of Baptist Peace Fellowship of North America. Here at Calvary, a different kind of Baptist church, our actions and teaching are aimed at building a culture of peace based on justice. Adults and youth are welcome.

August 8	<i>The Lenten Peaceteacher</i>	Allyson Robinson
August 15	<i>The Resurrected Peaceteacher</i>	Eric Bebbber
August 22	<i>Jesus' Way of Shalom</i>	Carol Blythe
August 29	<i>Walking in the Way of Shalom</i>	The Class

GENEVATION, CALVARY'S YOUTH GROUP, meets each Sunday after worship, 12:30-2:00 p.m. in the Youth Room (G3). Bring a friend—all are welcome. Contact Jason Smith for information.

HOLISTIC HEALTH PROJECT, serving women who wish to acquire or deepen a healthy lifestyle, includes classes on nutrition, cooking, weight-loss skills, exercise and spirituality. Join us Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:00-8:00 p.m. through August 26. Contact Rev. Palacios, 202.347.8355 ext. 103 or epalacios@calvarydc.org.

COMING UP

JAY PARROTTA Everyone at Calvary has appreciated the fine work of Jay Parrotta at the organ over these past two years. Now Jay is called to another church position, so we wish him well in this new endeavor! Be sure to enjoy Jay's music today and next Sunday, August 8, his final Sunday on the bench. We are grateful not only to Jay but also to his parents, Victoria and Frank, for the deep investment they have made here at Calvary—may God bless you all.

IT'S TIME FOR A NEW PICTORIAL DIRECTORY Dates have been set with the photographer: Monday 3:00-8:00 p.m. and Tuesday 1:00-6:00 p.m., August 30 & 31; also Tuesday 3:00-9:00 p.m. and Wednesday 1:00-7:00 p.m., September 21 & 22 (note the time date change). Visit our web site, www.calvarydc.org, to schedule your portrait session online, call the church office or sign up in Woodward Hall following worship. We need volunteers to help confirm membership information and schedule appointments. Contact Myra Houser for info or to volunteer, myra.ann.houser@gmail.com.



CALLER DEADLINE Please submit articles for the September 2010 issue to Harold Ritchie by Sunday, August 15.

MEMORIAL SERVICE All are invited to attend a memorial service for Marynelle Lorenz on Sunday, August 22, 1:30 p.m. in the Chapel.

IT'S TIME TO LAUNDER CHOIR ROBES: THE TRADITION CONTINUES! Our Music Department is blessed to own 40 adult choir robes, and we need your help to keep them in shape. Laundering a few choir robes at home now is a great way to help us prepare for the new choir season. If you have laundry machines at home, please contact Cheryl Branham and volunteer to take a few robes. Instructions are included and the job is easy. Thank you for supporting Music at Calvary by helping out with this important task.

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